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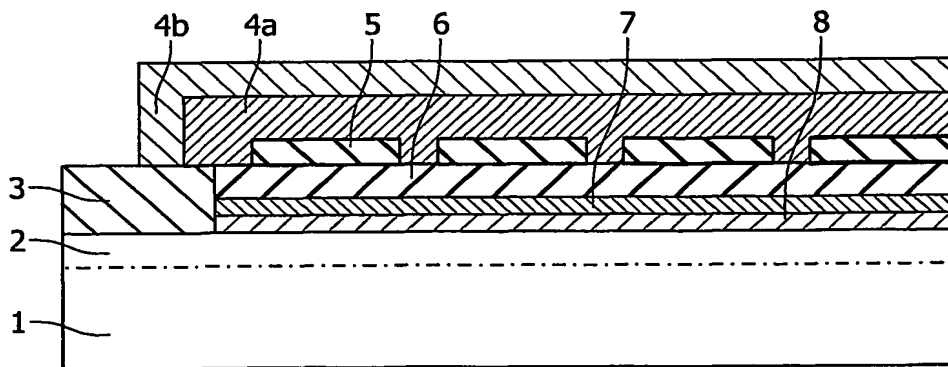
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(57) Abstract: In an electronic device comprising a protective barrier layer stack comprising a first barrier layer of a first amorphous carbon modification and a second barrier layer of a second amorphous carbon modification, the protective barrier layer stack has higher densities, better adhesion, and more flexibility than a single barrier layer of comparable thickness and composition.